

St Peter's Year 13 CIE Subject Selection Process 2019

Instructions Page

Below are the instructions for the subject selection process for 2019.

We intend this process to be far more fluid and open, and you are encouraged you to get in touch with any concerns or if you need some clarification. Please select subjects in conjunction with the subject guides, which is online in the Academic Section of the Website.

Your choice will have a significant impact on structuring Option Choices for the whole school. So, please give a considerable amount of thought before choosing your Optional Subjects.

The portal is open for the initial selection **on midday Friday 3rd August** and remains open until midday **on Thursday 9th August 2018**.

CIE Year 13 AS/A Level –There are six subjects at CIE Year 13

You will automatically be entered for Theology/ Philosophy.

You choose five options as per the instructions below.

- Log into our Web portal and click “Course Selection.”
- To choose your first Optional Subject: Select a subject listed in the first column and click on the tab next to it under Column 2. It will then appear as green with a tick.
- To choose your second Optional Subject: Select another subject listed in the first column and click on the tab next to it under Column 3. It will then appear as green with a tick.
- Follow the same procedure to choose your other three options. You will see all the tabs of your five options in green with a tick. It doesn't matter where you choose A Level Physics for example. Each of the options has an equal weighting of importance.
- When you have selected the five options which include Scholarship subjects and Study Period, click 'save' at the bottom of the page.

This process is not first in, first served; you are asked to take time to discuss and explore the options before making your choice.

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Instructions for Scholarship Options 2019

- 2019 Subject options for the 2018 Year 12 CIE students include two new Scholarship lines, as well as Scholarship Mathematics and Music: one entitled "Scholarship Science," the other "Scholarship English and Humanities."
- Subjects within these lines are as follows:
 - Scholarship Science: Physics, Chemistry, and Biology
 - Scholarship English and Humanities: English, History, and Classics
- Each Scholarship subject within these lines will have two periods per week. Selecting a line does not commit a student to taking all three Scholarship subjects in that line. I.e. If there is at least one subject in a Scholarship line that a student wishes to take, he should select the line.
- These selections, along with Scholarship Mathematics, are available on the SPC portal CIE Year 13 2019 options page under the Admin title near the bottom of the page
- Selections for the Scholarship Science and Scholarship English and Humanities lines will be used to assess the feasibility of 2019 timetabled Scholarship classes within the normal timetabled day (i.e., it will not be known until after the selection data is gathered whether or not these lines will definitely be available in 2019)
- It is intended that these Scholarship options could replace the need for a Year 13 CIE student to take a fourth AS or A Level subject
- If students choose only one of the Scholarship Science or Scholarship English and Humanities lines, they must be taking at least two subjects within that line in order to not have also to choose a fourth AS or A Level subject
- If students choose subjects from both the Scholarship Science and Scholarship English and Humanities lines, they **MUST** also be taking three A Level subjects. NOTE: It is the expectation that students who have taken A Level Mathematics in Year 12 will take Scholarship Mathematics in Year 13. As these students have already sat one A Level, they may choose a minimum of two more A Level subjects in Year 13, and up to all three available Scholarship lines. The same would be true for students who have taken A Level Music in Year 12
- Periods within a Scholarship line where subjects are being taught that a student is not taking will be Study Periods
- Student selections for all other Scholarship subjects, as per SPC 2019 Scholarship handbook (available on the school website), will be available at the beginning of 2019
- Prerequisites: The prerequisite for taking a Scholarship subject is a B or higher in AS. Students who do not meet this criterion will need applicable HOF approval to enter Scholarship for that subject. Failure to meet entry requirements for Scholarship may necessitate taking a fourth AS or A Level subject in Year 13.